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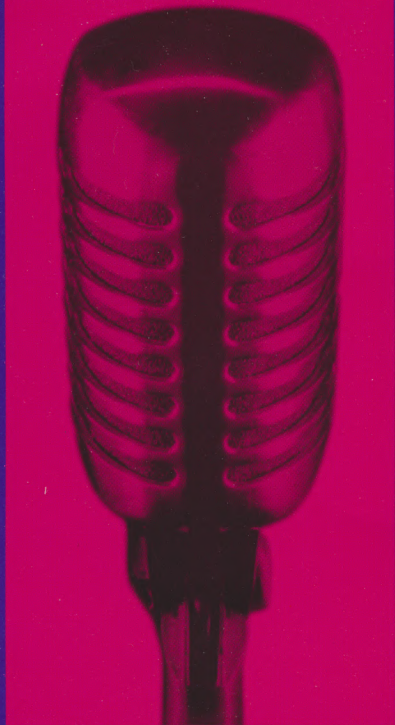
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'Hummin' Comin' At 'Cha (Intro)

-J. DUPRI-

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Just Kickin' It

-J. DUPRI-M. SEAL-

Every man wants a woman
Where him and her can just go hang
Just the two of them along (kick back)
Doing their own thang
And every man wants a woman
That can always keep him
in the mood
And I'm that kind of girl
So this is what I tell my dude

CHORUS:

I tell him to
Kick off you shoes and
relax you feet
Party on down to the XSCAPE beat
Just kick it
Just kick it, just kick it
(repeat)

Every man wants a woman
That can cook him up a good meal
A woman he can treat like his homie
And take her out on the A ve.
and just chill
Every man wants a woman
That ain't good for just laying
on her back
And I'm that kind of woman
So before me and my man
get in the sack

CHORUS

This is for the niga's
Strictly for the niga's
This is for the niga's
The real niga's
This is for the niga's
Strictly for the niga's
This is for the niga's
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Pumpin'

-J. DUPRI-

CHORUS:

You gotta keep it pumpin'
You gotta keep it pumpin'
You gotta keep it pumpin'
You gotta keep it pumpin'

I went out looking for a good place
But every where I went was dull
I went here and I went there
But I never found the stuff
But then I meet this boy that said
He had the perfect place
That I would just love, yeah
He took me in
Ooh let me tell you, girlfriend
The place was jumping
And it was sho 'nuff pumpin'

CHORUS

I found my spot
Nothing about the place seemed dull
From the stuff I was looking for
I found the stuff
The sound was hot like I never heard
before
The bass was booming
There was people all over the dance
floor
Then I meet another guy
And he asked me would I like to
dance
He showed me steps I never seen
before
I walked in
Ooh let me tell you, girlfriend
The place was jumping
And it was sho 'nuff pumpin'

CHORUS

That's the way I like it
I like it when it's pumping
That's the way I like it
I like it when it's pumping
That's the way I like it
I like it when it's pumping
That's the way I like it
I like it when it's pumping

If you gotta groove that you like
And you like it a lot
(pump it up, pump it up)
You know the place with the bass
In the neighborhood hot spot
(pump it up, pump it up)
To the girl in blue
Tell me what 'cha gonna do
(pump it up, pump it up)
To the negro in red
Tell me what I said
Pump it up, pump it up

CHORUS

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Background Vocals by Dionne Farris

Rap by Jermaine Dupri

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Let Me Know

-J. DUPRI-M. SEAL-M. BELL-

I got something for you
And I think you're sexy
And if you want me let me know
You ain't got to spend no money
Just a little time with me honey
That will let me know you love me so

There are so many things
I want to talk to you about
Like do you want me, do you love me
'Cause I have my doubts
I have a funny feeling
That you want me around for just
one thing
To push your little ego
With the knowledge that I bring

CHORUS:

You know that I want you
And I made it very clear
I would never ever hurt you
I'd never let you shed a tear

The only thing I want to know
Do you feel the love for me
I'm not gonna keep on waiting
That's not how it's gonna be
You got to

Let me know
I never knew
That love could ever have me slipping
Let me know
I sit in my room
Thinking of you at night tripping
Let me know

I never knew
I would ever get caught caking
Let me know
And no man would have me shaky

CHORUS (repeat)

Let me know
Let me know
Let me know
Let me know

CHORUS (repeat)

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Understanding

-M. SEAL-

CHORUS:

What I need from you is
understanding
How can we communicate
If you don't hear what I say
What I need from you is
understanding
So simple as 1-2-3
Understanding is what we need

You don't even know me
You just want to do what you
want to do
That's not the way it should be
No you should listen to me (boy)
I try so very hard to make you
understand
But the choices you make are
all demands

I try so very hard to keep
our love alive
But you don't want to meet me half-way
Then understanding dies
There's no way that we can work it out
If we don't pull together
I don't mean to be demanding
But I want some understanding
I want to be with you

CHORUS

I listen to you baby
And I know the things you're
going through
I try to understand
That's why I'm still with you, baby
See, every day we're living
Is one thing that will always
be unsure
That's why I need you baby,
pleading baby
Please let our love endure

I try so very hard to keep our
love alive
But you don't want to meet me half-way
Then the understanding dies
There's no way that we can work it out
If we don't pull together
I don't mean to be demanding
But I want some understanding
I want to be with you

Chorus

I try so very hard to keep our
love alive
But you don't want to meet me half-way
Then the understanding dies
There's no way that we can work it out
If we don't pull together
I don't mean to be demanding
But I want some understanding
I want to be with you

CHORUS (repeat)

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W.S.S. Deez Nuts

-E. WEATHERS-

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With You

-B. BENNETT-M. ETHERIDGE-ORGANIZED NOIZE-

CHORUS:

I wanna spend my whole life with you
There's nothing else better than
being with you
I wanna spend my whole life, my
whole life with you

Do you remember all those
precious times
We shared back in the past
No one knew about the things
we did
Out in the grass
We're older now
And we both need companionship
So let's stop these games
And get on with our relationship
Ain't no second guessin', when I'm
without you
About the way I feel when I'm
with you
It makes me feel so real
Ain't no living without you
'Cause you're all the man I need
And I want you just for me

CHORUS

Why is it when I say I love you
You shy away from me
When lovin's all I wanna do?
Even though we've never been
More than just friends
There's no reason
We should have to let our feelings end

Ain't no second guessin'
About the way I feel when I'm
with you

It makes me feel so real
Ain't no living without you
'Cause you're all the man I need
And I want you just for me

CHORUS (repeat)

Ain't no second guessin', without
When I'm with you
Ain't no living without you

Music and Piano Solo by Jermaine Dupri
Additional Keyboards by McKinley Horton

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Is My Living In Vain

-E. CLARKE-

Is my living in vain
Is my giving in vain
Is my singing in vain
Is my praying in vain

No, of course not
It's not all in vain
Because up the road is eternal gain

Am I wasting my time
Can the clock be rewind
Have I let my light shine
Have I made 99

CHORUS:
No, of course not
No, of course not
No, of course not
No, of course not

It's not all in vain
Because up the road is eternal gain

CHORUS

It's not all in vain
Because up the road is eternal gain

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Love On My Mind

-J. DUPRI-M. SEAL-

Boy, I can't wait to get you alone
Inside my house
'Cause baby it's you and only you
That I keep on thinking about
I know what you want it
How good my love could be
Tonight you will get the answer
I'll satisfy your curiosity

Take me away in ecstasy
I want to know how it feels to be loved
Boy take your time because
I have all night
I'm going to show you how it feels
to be loved

CHORUS:
I've got love on my mind
I knew it's the way to make
things right
I think it's about that time
I got love on my mind
I'm in the mood to be move
And do all the things you want me to

I've been watching you
And thinking to myself
You're looking so so def to me, and
I'm feeling so sexy
You know I never felt this way
before
I really can't help myself
'Cause I'm thinking of nothing else

Take me away in ecstasy
I want to know how it feels to be
loved
Boy take your time because
I have all night
I'm going to show you how it feels
to be loved

CHORUS

(repeat)

Take me away in ecstasy
I want to know how it feels to be
loved
Boy take your time because
we have all night
I'm going to show you how it feels
to be loved

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Tonight

-B. BENNETT-M. ETHERIDGE-ORGANIZED NOIZE-

Come a little bit closer and
look into my eyes
If only for a moment, boy don't
be surprised
I want you right here next to me
So tell me can we spend some time
So I can hold you softly
In these gentle arms of mine
(And the moonlight's gazing, ooh)
Shining on my window pane
Beaming down in the midnight hour
I hear the sound of rain

CHORUS:

Tonight, tonight
Ooh...
Tonight, tonight
Ooh...

So why don't you stay a while
I can't help it if you put me
in a daze boy
But you look so good to me
In your satin PJ's
So let's make love by candlelight
And listen to the quiet storm
As I kiss you in the places
That make your body warm

CHORUS

I'm holding you, I'm holding you
I'm holding you, I'm holding you
I'm holding you, I'm holding you
Holding you tight all through
the night
Holding you tight all through
the night
Looks like it's gonna rain
Looks like it's gonna rain
Looks like it's gonna rain
Looks like it's gonna rain

Holding you tight all through
the night
Holding you tight all through
the night
Tonight

Bass Guitar by LaMarquis "Marq" Jefferson

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